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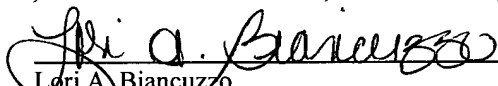
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Applicant: David Hunniford, et al.
Serial No: 10/700,381
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For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR REDUCING
NITRATE DEMANDS IN THE REDUCTION OF
DISSOLVED AND/OR ATMOSPHERIC SULFIDES IN
WASTEWATER

Examiner: Chester T. Barry
Art Unit: 1724

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 5, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows. Changes to the Claims are shown by strike through (for deleted matter) and underlining (for added matter).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.